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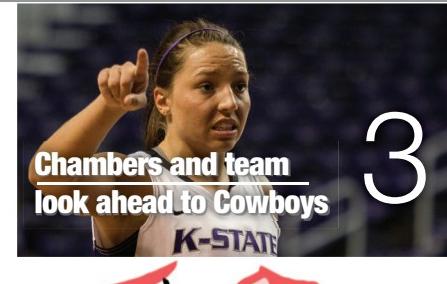
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WILDCATS FALL TO JAYHAWKS 59-55, REGISTER FIRST BIG 12 LOSS

## OUT OF REACH



Missed shots in crucial situations dooms K-State

Mark Kern  
sports editor

This game had it all — 3-pointers, monster dunks and even some trash talking. Unfortunately for K-State (15-3, 4-1 Big 12 Conference), the Jayhawks (17-1, 5-0 Big 12) made just enough plays down the stretch, holding on for a hard-fought 59-55 victory against the Wildcats on Tuesday night in Bramlage Coliseum.

The Jayhawks got off to a quick start, taking a 16-8 lead. However, with 9:22 left in the first half, KU's star freshman guard Ben McLemore picked up his second foul, and the Wildcats were able to make their run.

Capped by a Shane Southwell 3-pointer, K-State took a 19-18 lead, sending the packed house into an absolute frenzy.

However, the Jayhawks responded with a run of their own to take a 27-21 lead. K-State head coach Bruce Weber said that KU's poise played a huge part in the game and their ability to handle the Wildcats' run.

"With Kansas, they just do not get rattled," Weber said. "Bill [Self] does a great job over there of continuing to do what they do, and they just play so consistent. Their defense also always gives them a chance to win a game. In a game where it is low-scoring, you have to make the plays late, and they did that. You have to

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Jacob Dean Wilson | Collegian  
Senior guard Rodney McGruder catches his breath during the Sunflower Showdown between K-State and KU on Tuesday in Bramlage Coliseum. McGruder has only celebrated a victory over Kansas once in eight tries, as the Wildcats eventually fell 55-59 in a tight game.

Although McGruder was the Wildcats' second leading scorer, his 13 points came as a result of 4-for-12 field goal shooting and proved to be too little, too late in the Cats' first loss to a conference rival this season.

Emily DeShazer | Collegian  
Sophomore guard Angel Rodriguez reaches to steal the ball from a University of Kansas player on Tuesday at Bramlage Coliseum.

Rodriguez ended the night with 12 points, eight assists and five rebounds.

Often criticized for committing sloppy turnovers, the Wildcat point guard played one of his most complete games yet, only turning the ball over twice and stealing the ball twice.

## Shooting at Texas college wounds 3

Andy Rao  
editor-in-chief

The most violent trend in America's education system continued in tragic fashion today after Lone Star College, a campus of 10,000 students in Houston, reported a shooting that has left three people, including a gunman, wounded.

CNN.com reported that five to six shots were fired at the campus library at around 12:50 p.m. CST.

According to the report, two gunmen initiated the shootout by firing rounds at each other. Two people who were caught in the crossfire — a student and a maintenance worker — were wounded and are now in a local area hospital where CNN affiliate KTRK said that the victims are in "relatively serious condition."

One of the gunmen was wounded and is currently in police custody while the other appears to be uninjured and still on the loose.



Jason Fochtman | Cypress Creek Mirror  
Two Lone Star College students walk along the road adjacent to the campus on Tuesday as law enforcement officers clear the scene. Three people were injured in the shoot off that happened in the Lone Star library on Tuesday.

## K-State briefs

Darrington Clark  
managing editor

**K-State finalizes agreement with Eisenhower Presidential Library**

The Dwight D. Eisenhower Presidential Library and Museum has established a partnership with K-State to mutually increase research possibilities and opportunities.

Lori Goetsch, dean of K-State Libraries, said that the new agreement, signed Tuesday by President Kirk Schulz and U.S. archivist David S. Ferriero, will be a "benefit to both parties."

K-State students and faculty will now have access to Eisenhower history texts, military strategy guides dating back to World War II and a wide collection of archives.

"For students working in history, political science and even leadership studies, this will be very beneficial," Goetsch said.

A deal between K-State and the Eisenhower Presidential Library had been in the works for some time, according to Goetsch. Previously, the library had worked with and shared information with the K-State Institute for Civic Discourse and Democracy. Goetsch hopes that more partnership opportunities arise in the future.

"They have a very rich historical collection," Goetsch said. "We will be sharing our collections back and forth, and in the future we hope to set up scholarships to send students to Abilene to work at the library themselves."

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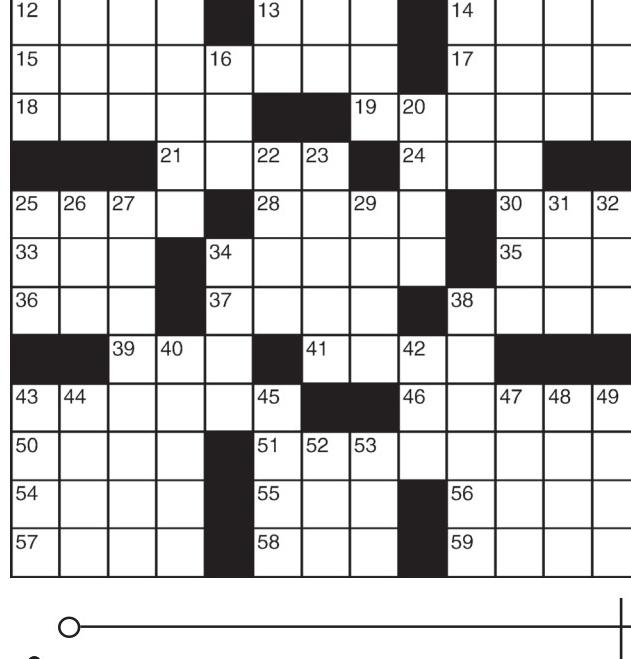


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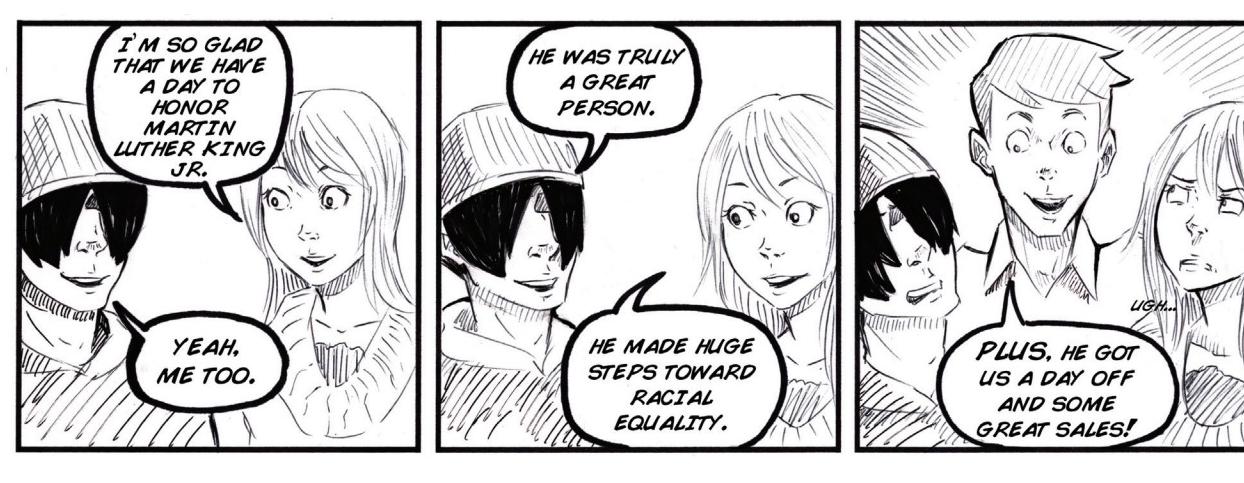
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Compiled by Katie Goerl

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## Failed 3-point attempts to blame for losses to KU



John Zetmeir

"I think even at times we had some open [3-point shots], but passed them up," said K-State head coach Bruce Weber. "We have a saying that closer is not better, but open is better."

Last year, the Wildcats shot a minuscule 22 percent from beyond the arc. It is easy to nitpick when the margin of defeat is so small, but it's important to look at K-State's inconsistency with shooting from the perimeter. It starts with the play of junior guard Will Spradling, who is a combined 0-10 in the past two seasons against Kansas inside of Bramlage in 3-point attempts.

Spradling, who contributed 9 points in K-State's last home-court win against Kansas in his freshman year, has only scored a combined 10 points in his past two games in Manhattan against KU. Although not all the blame for the Wildcats' losses can be placed on a single player, when a team lacks a superstar player, it becomes a full-team effort. The consistency has to be there.

The difference factor has also been Kansas' senior center Jeff Withey, who has arguably been the

best shot-blocker in college basketball the past two seasons. He is what makes KU's opponents take shots beyond the arc.

What has kept K-State in the games? Their play on the defensive end. Last night, the Jayhawks were held to 59 points when they have been averaging close to 76 points per game. It was the same case for the Wildcats in their biggest win of the season over No. 8 Florida. K-State held the Gators to nearly 13 points under their season average and were able to escape with a win. It's been a trend set by former coach Frank Martin who emphasized the importance of defense and rebounding.

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Emily DeShazer | Collegian

Senior forward Jordan Henriquez reaches up to try and block KU guard Kevin Young's shot on Tuesday at Bramlage Coliseum. Henriquez had three of the team's five blocks.



## Women's basketball team to face Oklahoma State Cowboys tonight



Jacob Dean Wilson | Collegian

Senior guard Brittany Chambers signals to her team during the Wildcats' 64-57 victory on Nov. 30, 2012, over the visiting Mississippi Valley State Devilettes in Bramlage Coliseum. Chambers scored a game high 25 points on 7-for-11 from the 3-point line.

**Mark Kern**  
sports editor

Coming off their 57-54 victory over the TCU Horned Frogs on Saturday, the Wildcats (11-7, 2-4 Big 12 Conference) returned home looking forward to recording another victory. However, the women's basketball team does not have an easy task ahead of them against the No. 12 Oklahoma State Cowboys (14-2, 3-2 Big 12) in Bramlage Coliseum tonight at 7.

The Cowboys will bring a balanced offensive attack into tonight's game, with five players averaging more than 8 points a game. One of those players, junior guard Tiffany Bias, is Oklahoma State's key to getting the offense rolling.

On the season, Bias is averaging 12.8 points and 7.2 assists per game, while putting in, on average, a team-high 34 minutes per game.

Bias has a very quick first step and does a great job of getting in the lane, where she will look both to score and to create opportunities for her teammates. The Wildcats must keep Bias out of the lane to have a chance, but there are more players for the Wildcats to look out for.

Senior Toni Young is one of the best post players in the Big 12, averaging 17 points and 9.5 rebounds on the season. Her inside scoring presence, with the play of Bias on the perimeter, gives the Cowboys one of the best inside-outside duos in the country.

Tipoff is scheduled for 7 p.m. tonight at Bramlage Coliseum.

The Wildcats' leader is senior guard Brittany Chambers, who averages 19.1 points and 7.4 rebounds, and she also gives the very young team the senior leadership they need. One of those younger players, freshman guard Bri Craig, is starting to show her full potential.

Known for her ability to shoot the ball, especially from 3-point line, Craig is emerging as a valuable rebounder. In the last three games, she has averaged six boards per game, including a career-high eight in the victory over TCU. Against a team that rebounds like the Cowboys, the Wildcats will look to Craig to rebound the ball.

Tipoff is scheduled for 7 p.m. tonight at Bramlage Coliseum.

## BBALL | Wildcats in tie for second place in Big 12 after loss to Jayhawks

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give them credit."

Needing one of their go-to players to step up early in the second half, KU senior center Jeff Withey went to work down low. Withey scored 6 of the Jayhawks' first 10 points, including a layup on a pass from fellow senior Travis Releford that gave Kansas a 41-33 lead.

As they had done early in the game, the Wildcats once again responded with a run of their own, cutting the lead to 3 points with 12:52 left. The teams traded baskets, and as KU held a 5-point lead with 7:40 left, the Wildcats appeared to be picking up momentum.

However, a game-changing play occurred when KU senior forward Kevin Young grabbed a loose ball and gave it to McLemore, who ended up knocking down a 3-pointer to push the lead up to 8.

Kansas head coach Bill Self talked after the game about how big of a play that was for his team.

"We really did not have anything going on that possession," Self said. "However, we kept after it and were able to get the ball to Ben [McLemore] in the corner for a 3-pointer. It was one of those plays where things aren't going your way, but you are still able to get

something out of it, so it was definitely huge."

The Jayhawks were able to hold the Wildcats at arm's length for the rest of the game, and two free throws from sophomore guard Naadir Tharpe iced the game for the Wildcats. Tharpe and freshman forward Perry Ellis were key to K-State's defeat, according to Weber.

"Going into the game tonight, I said the two things that would be key is hustle plays and other guys stepping up," Weber said. "When Withey and McLemore went to the bench in foul trouble, Perry and Tharpe came in and made the plays that we were just unable to make."

Southwell led the Wildcats with 19 points and seven rebounds. Senior guard Rodney McGruder, who finished with 12 points and five rebounds, and sophomore guard Angel Rodriguez joined Southwell in double-digits.

Self spoke very highly of Southwell, saying he deserved to be recognized for the improvements he has made throughout his career.

"I think he would get my vote for most improved player in the league," Self said. "If you remember last year, we played a triangle-and-two, and the guy that we did not guard was

Shane because he did not even look at the basket. Rodney McGruder is terrific and Angel Rodriguez had an unbelievable first half, but Southwell was probably their best offensive threat tonight."

For the Jayhawks, Releford led the team with 12 points, while Withey and McLemore each scored 11. While getting a win at Bramlage is no easy task and this was a big game for the conference race, Withey said he understands that there is a long way to go.

"Whenever you can get a win on the road, it is good," Withey said. "It's still early. They are still going to win games. They are going to come into the Fieldhouse, so they have a chance to win at our place. It matters to the people, but as for the league, it is so early that it does not matter that much."

The Wildcats are now in a three-way tie for second place in the Big 12 with Baylor and Oklahoma and hold only a half-game lead over Saturday's opponent, Iowa State. Iowa State plays Texas Tech tonight in Lubbock, and a victory by the Cyclones would put them ahead of the Wildcats.

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## 2013 fashion brings new, clean-cut looks



Jakki Thompson

In our world, everything is constantly evolving and growing. A major industry that changes based on the season is the fashion industry. The fashion industry has always dictated to people what they should be wearing and what the latest trends are. According to various fashion outlets like Glamour and Style magazines, there are some major shifts that the fashion world is emphasizing for the 2013 spring season.

According to Glamour, black and white will be a major trend for 2013. Even though spring typically brings out florals or pastels, the rigidity of black and white and the extreme contrast between them allow this trend to return. Black and white are two classic colors that can be worn all year round. They are professional enough to be worn to work, and casual enough for a night out in Aggieland or a date night with a significant other.

"Black and white is for sure a trend coming up, as well as clean lines and geometric prints," said Harriet Reymond, sophomore in apparel design.

As echoed by Reymond, clean lines and geometric prints are common in trends coming from Paris, Milan, London and New York City for the new year. According to Harper's Bazaar magazine, clean lines can be seen in the accentuation of stripes for spring 2013. Geometric prints can be seen in Harper's Bazaar under such categories

as "Eastern Promises," "Graphic Content" and "Petal Pushers." Geometric prints are coming back in full force for 2013, all with their own personal accents and global influences.

Women dressing to show their power and influence is also anticipated to be a common fashion trend for spring 2013. Style magazine dubbed spring 2013 the season for the alpha female, and the female power suit will likely be a common occurrence. Whether it is a solid black power suit or one with pinstripes, the power suit will be everywhere this season.

While some old trends are returning for the spring 2013 fashion season, there are a few trends that should remain in 2012. Reymond said printed pants are unflattering on almost every body type. While this is just one person's opinion, 2013 could still be the year to reinvent yourself, fashion-wise.

One of the most common, and powerful, messages coming from the fashion industry is to love yourself, no matter your style, no matter your body type. Even though this may seem a hypocritical message, there has been a revolution of famous people refusing to listen to the messages coming from different outlets that say they should be prettier or thinner.

So, whether it's black and white, the female power suit, geometric prints or clean lines, be on the lookout for the spring 2013 trends. The new year can also be a year of loving yourself more than you did last year. This can be the year of change for you.

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## Lackluster, boring protagonist drags down short yet enjoyable love story

### I.O.N.



manga review by Kate Haddock

What if you had a magical spell that made good things happen to you? In Arina Tanemura's one-volume manga "I.O.N.," main character Ion Tsuburagi believes that she has such a spell, granted by chanting the letters of her name, that improves her fortunes.

That fortune becomes much more powerful when she touches a mysterious substance and develops psychic powers. Ion can now control her environment by chanting her name as well.

After she develops psychic powers, Ion becomes the research subject of one Mikado Hourai, who is obsessed with psychics. The manga follows Ion and Mikado as they develop feelings for each other beyond those between a scientist and a research subject. The story also focuses on Ion's exploits as a psychic hero, her friends and her other suitors.

This manga was relatively enjoyable to read. The story was well thought out, despite being contained in one six-chapter volume. There were quite a few parts that I felt were rushed, including the suddenly serious love of the student council president for Ion. Until the very end, he seemed like a sort of joke, and his seriousness was too sudden.

Ion was also just a little bit too good for me. I enjoy a kind heroine, but some character development and flaws would have been a nice addition; she didn't really have any fire or stubbornness to her. She was a bit goofy, which was funny, but was otherwise a bit disinteresting. Boredom is often a problem for me when a character is introduced as being nearly perfect. Ion is described as beautiful, kind and free-spirited in the first couple of pages. This



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sort of made me lose interest in her. Her kindness to a girl who was mean to her bothered me in particular because it didn't make any sense with the story.

In the long run, the psychic powers sort of take a back seat in this series, which is ironic considering they are the premise. In essence, this manga is another high school love story with a bit of psychic heroism thrown in. There is a token spell chant of "I.O.N." in every chapter, but otherwise the plot mostly contains Ion lamenting about her deep love for Mikado. The psychic powers

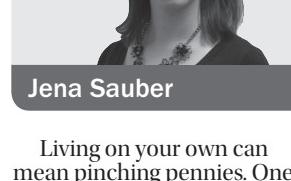
are really only there to connect the two love interests, and I was disappointed by what little use they were put to.

Overall this manga was a fun and short read for someone seeking some innocent and rewarding romance. There aren't any complex plots to understand, only a straightforward love story fix.

"I.O.N." was serialized in 1997 by Viz Media. I give this manga 3 out of 5 stars for its mushy high school love story.

Kate Haddock is a sophomore in English. Please send comments to [edge@kstatecollegian.com](mailto:edge@kstatecollegian.com).

## Students can avoid wasting food, money with planning, creativity



Jena Sauber

can help eliminate duplicate purchases and wasted money. For ideas using ingredients you already have, the website [myfridgefood.com](http://myfridgefood.com) provides recipes using only ingredients you have, which can save time, money and food.

Understanding food labels can also help stretch food longer. Most foods come with "best by" or "sell by" dates. According to the U.S. Department of Agriculture, most properly stored foods are typically safe to eat up to several days after these dates. Check these labels when shopping, and purchase products with the latest spoilage dates to avoid throwing away spoiled food.

"Pay attention to use-by dates, even before you buy the products," Meck Higgins said. "If you can't use something up before it goes bad, don't buy it."

According to the USDA, food that is no longer safe to eat may have an unpleasant or unusual odor, taste or appearance due to the presence of bacteria. Regardless of expiration dates, toss any food that looks, smells or tastes like it's rotting.

Reducing leftovers can sometimes mean getting creative. Some dishes are more forgiving for using leftovers and older, but still good, products. Soups, omelets, casseroles, and smoothies are excellent dishes for leftover meat, vegetables and fruit.

"Use the most fragile fruits and vegetables first, and plan ahead," Meck Higgins said. "If you are losing money and landfill space."

One way to reduce food waste

is to make, and stick to, a grocery list. Taking inventory of current supplies before a shopping trip

you buy a carton of berries, eat them fresh the first night, in a smoothie the second night and then freeze the rest for a dessert later."

In addition to wasting money, tossing out food puts a strain on landfills. According to National Geographic, Americans throw about 34 million tons of food waste annually. This was a concern K-State's Department of Housing and Dining Services took into consideration last spring.

Kelly Jean Whitehair, K-State alum and hospitality management and dietetics instructor, led a study to determine how much food students were throwing away. After implementing a poster campaign in the dining halls advising students to "Eat what you take. Don't waste food," students reduced food waste by 15 percent.

"All it took to change behavior was a trigger that made students think twice about the topic of food waste before they started eating," said Whitehair in a January 2012 press release by Housing and Dining Services.

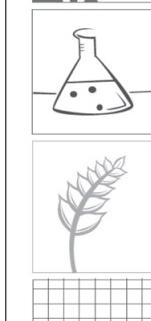
Whether it's a weekly grocery list or creative cooking, careful planning and usage of resources can help reduce food waste in landfills and keep thousands of dollars from ending up in your trash can instead of your stomach.

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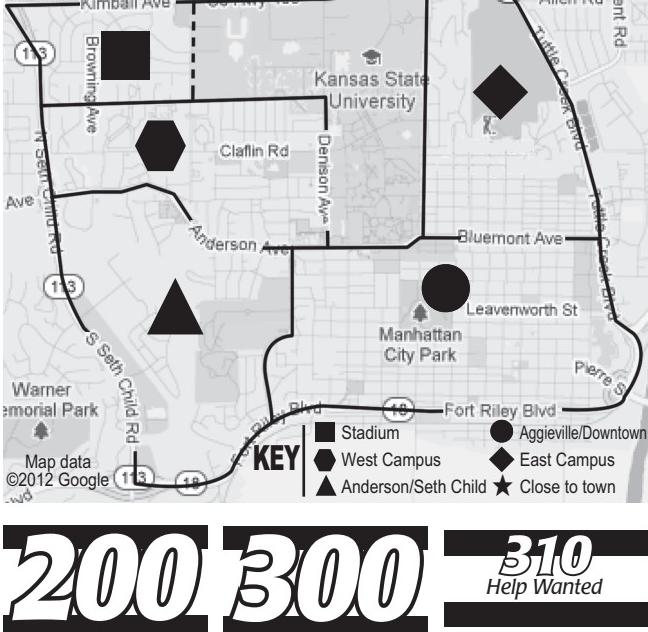
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## SALTmoney.org: free, easy way to manage loans



Andy Rao

In a continued effort to assist students with budgetary planning, K-State and Powercat Financial Counseling announced last Tuesday that they will be able to provide students with additional resources to help them successfully balance their finances.

Using an online platform called SALTmoney.org, PFC plans to feature free financial advice that would help users gain additional insight into things like general budget planning, student loan repayment, credit and potential career paths.

PFC is officially launching the financial planning platform at the Activities Carnival and Winter Expo that is taking place in the K-State Student Union on Thursday from 6-8 p.m.

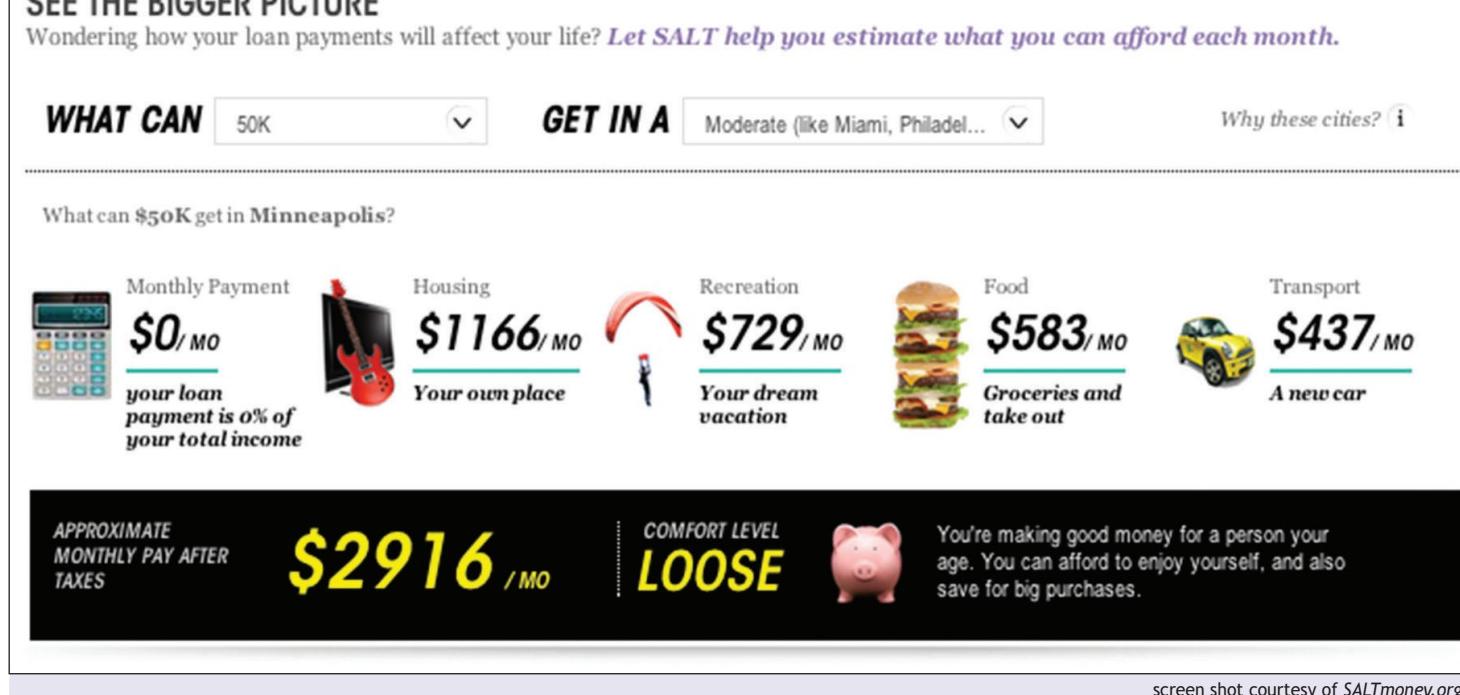
"SALTmoney is a great way to start thinking ahead for students who have loans or are trying to get their financial situations more planned out," said Jodi Kaus, director of PFC.

SALTmoney was developed by a nonprofit organization called American Student Assistance, and all K-State students and alumni will be able to access the tool for free. Kaus said PFC's mission is to provide free, in-depth advice and explore every possible option that would give students stability and flexibility when budgeting.

After hearing Kaus speak of the advantages, I was intrigued. So, I tried it myself, and I have to say, I was extremely impressed with what the platform has to offer.

In addition to its clean-cut, user-friendly interface, SALT offers several helpful features.

Perhaps the most interesting



The table above shows SALTmoney.org's projection for the lifestyle of a college graduate earning \$50,000 per year, with no student loan debt, living in a moderately expensive city. Add in \$20,000 of student loans, however, and the approximate monthly income after taxes is \$1,250, which moves the comfort level rating to "tight."

option available to students, however, is the "Crunch Your Numbers" section.

Using your federal financial aid PIN, the online platform has the ability to link to your federal aid account to help you see your overall loans. The website shows how the terms of your loan, such as interest rates, number of years and principle, affect your payable balance.

Students can also plug in hypothetical figures to find out how changes to your loan, such as increasing monthly payments, decreasing the number of years or even refinancing to a different interest rate, can affect your overall

loan amounts.

Using a variety of visual aids, the platform can give even the most novice financial analyst a clear picture of their monetary situation with easy-to-read graphs and pie charts.

Other resources include the "My Money 101" section, which offers students tips on responsibly using different types of credits, and the "Save and Make Money" section, which highlights different ways to earn scholarships, apply for internships and take part in special deals offered by SALT. For example, Tuesday's deal was up to 30 percent off of Dell desktop and

laptops.

Whether you are a student looking to create a plan to repay school loans, acquire an internship, get general career advice or even just find a few bargains to help offset educational costs, SALTmoney.org has a helpful feature to assist almost every student in their quest for financial success.

While browsing the website, I personally was able to observe how my everyday spending habits affect my budget and also discovered a few techniques that I could use to make my spending more efficient and useful.

According to Kaus, Powercat Fi-

nancial Counseling's ultimate goal is to help students learn sound financial skills and maintain these habits for years to come.

"SALT will build upon the successful foundation K-State has created with PFC by taking our financial education offerings to the next level," she said. "SALT will help ensure our alumni can successfully retire their student loan debt, gain the greatest return on their investment and boost their money skills for life."

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To the guys playing polo on bicycles on the tennis court: You guys totally rock.

Kanye West is the meanest person ever. Go Tay-Tay!

Looks like I'll be switching my major to procrastination.

To the car with the Jayhawk license plate: Were you born stupid, or is this a recent thing?

If only I could major in procrastination.

Is it bad that the G-Phi house getting TP'd actually brightened my morning?

The mustache is back, and it's got a reputation. Hey now, hey now. The mustache is back.

I just had an allergic reaction to a temporary tattoo. Curse you, red dye No. 40.

If animal farms are causing global warming, then I guess we need to kill more animals.

To the girl writing "Go KU" and "Rock Chalk Jayhawk" all over her paper in psych class: Screw you.

Hey, downstairs neighbor. Sorry, I'm not 300 pounds. It's just my two cats. I think they might have lost their sanity.

Hey, if you thought organic chemistry II was going to be easier than organic chemistry I, you just got punked.

There can't be so many cool people in the world, so if you drive a Mustang, you're not cool.

Walking is so overrated.

Planning my Thursday based on the game.

It has got to be 200 hundred degrees in Umberger.

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